

THE WEATHER TODAY
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HARDING AND HAYS TO TALK OVER CAMPAIGN

Meet Today to Fix Date
For Formal Notifica-
tion Ceremony

TO NAME COMMITTEE

Women Expected to Be Repre-
sented in Group Having General
Charge of Senator's Campaign

Washington, June 20. — In anticipa-
tion of a coming busy week of con-
ferences, Senator Harding, Republican
presidential nominee, today received
no callers, but spent the day resting.
He did take advantage of the full day
to go over some personal mail and later
in the day went motorizing, accom-
panied by Mrs. Harding and several
personal friends.

Tomorrow Senator Harding will
meet Chairman Will H. Hays and
members of the sub-committee of the
Republican national committee to fix
a date for his official notification and
to discuss other features of his cam-
paign. This conference is expected to
occupy virtually the entire day. With
the exception of Mr. Hays, who will
arrive early tomorrow, all members of
the committee were today in Wash-
ington and held informal conferences
during the day without any final plans
being reached.

Plan Notification Details.

In addition to Mr. Hays, those who
will attend tomorrow's conference will
be Charles D. Hilles of New York,
John W. Weeks of Massachusetts, A.
H. H. of Kentucky, J. L. Hamon of
Oklahoma, Ralph Williams of Oregon,
all members of the national commit-
tee, and Fred W. Upham, treasurer,
and Clarence B. Miller, secretary, of
that body.

It is expected that a committee will
be named tomorrow to work out plans
for the notification ceremony.

Another important matter likely to
be determined tomorrow, it was said
today, would be the appointment of
an executive committee, consisting of
members of the Republican national
committee, to take active charge of
the campaign. No indication so far has
been given of the personnel of this
committee.

One of the important part of the
campaign is to have in this year's cam-
paign, the Senator's friends said to-
night, it was certain some of the mem-
bers would be women. In order that
the committee may be mobile, present
plans are for a committee not to ex-
ceed 15 members.

Daugherty to Drop Campaign.

It became known tonight that Harry
M. Daugherty of Columbus, Ohio, Sen-
ator Harding's campaign manager prior
to the Chicago convention, will re-
linquish his duties as soon as the ex-
ecutive committee takes charge, but
will continue to be a close personal
advisor to the Ohio senator during
the campaign. Mr. Daugherty is not a
member of the national committee.
When he took charge of the primary
campaign, it was said he expressed
the desire that if Senator Harding
was nominated he would not be bur-
dened with carrying on the national
campaign.

Announcement was made tonight
that the conference between Senator
Harding and former Senator Albert J.
Beveridge of Indiana would be held
Tuesday, while that with Colonel The-
odore Roosevelt Jr. would be either
on the same or following day.

Senator Harding during the coming
week will continue to see experts in
various lines whom he has summoned
for the purpose of discussing with
them topics he proposes to discuss in
his speech of acceptance. While no
announcement has been made as to
what persons will be seen, the Senator
hopes to confer with representatives
of business, organized labor, and in-
dustrial enterprises before he gets
down to the actual writing of his
speech.

URGES AMERICA TO MAKE HARD FIGHT TO GAIN WORLD TRADE

Washington, June 20. — Equipped
with powers conferred by the recently
enacted Jones shipping act, the Amer-
ican government should enter the
race for world trade with the deter-
mination to obtain its rightful share,
Senator Jones of Washington declared
today in a statement outlining provi-
sions of the new law bearing his name.
Evocation of treaties which now
handicap the United States should be
the first step, Senator Jones declared.
"Other nations will look after their
interests," said Senator Jones. "We
must look after ours. We are enter-
ing no brotherly love. Sunday school
is seeking out part of the world's
carrying trade. Fair means
and foul will be used to defeat us. We
must fight back and fight hard to
maintain ourselves and every honor-
able means must be used to advance."

WINS FRENCH STEEPLECHASE

Paris, June 20. — The grand na-
tional steeplechase of France, run to-
day on the Anzeul track, was won by
Coq Gaulois, with Heros XII finishing
second, Trotrovan third, and Pichelin
fourth. The stakes are valued at 150,
000 francs.

NINE DAYS PASS WITH NO TRACE OF MURDERER

Evidence Thus Far Gathered in
Elwell Mystery Does Not War-
rant Holding Any Person

New York, June 20.—After nine days
of diligent inquiry by scores of police
detectives and assistants of the dis-
trict attorney, the slayer of Joseph
Bowne Elwell, turfman and whist ex-
pert, who was shot to death in his
home here on the morning of June 11,
is still at large.

Assistant District Attorney Dooling
announced tonight the only new de-
velopment was that it is known de-
finitely Elwell was in his home alive at
10:30 on the morning of the murder
and at that hour someone entered.
After this, a haze of mystery envelops
the case.

A report was circulated today that the
authorities were virtually certain the
sportsman had been killed by a just-
sized woman whose place in his affec-
tions had been stolen by another wo-
man, and that her arrest was im-
minent. She was described as "the
woman in grey," but no official con-
firmation of this could be obtained to-
night. The murderess was said to
have accompanied Elwell here from
Palm Beach.

Mr. Dooling stated the evidence
gathered thus far did not warrant
holding any person as a material wit-
ness.

Probe Another Mysterious Death.

Harrison, June 20. — Road houses
between here and New York were vis-
ited today by detectives seeking to un-
ravel the mystery of the death of
Henry Humphrey Parsons, Yale gradu-
ate and young New York lawyer,
whose body was found Friday in the
home of his aunt, Mrs. Jefferson Hog-
an, at Purchase.

The body was in a bath tub and a
pistol lay nearby. Bruises and a cut
on the body and a soiled, grass stained
suit found in Parsons' room pointed to
a struggle or accident some hours be-
fore his death.

Two halpans found in the touring
car driven by Parsons are the only
clues the police have.

The chief of police said they are the
first indication that a woman might
be involved in the circumstances lead-
ing to his death.

"It seems now that the death of
Mr. Parsons was a suicide," said the
chief today. "The gash under his right
eye from which he was bleeding when
he arrived home early Thursday
morning was inflicted by a sharp knife
or razor, and we are trying to find
out exactly how he came by such an
injury."

SYRACUSE OARSMEN WIN INTERCOLLEGIATE RACE

Gruelling Contest At Ithaca Ends
With Cornell Second, Colum-
bia Third, Penn Fourth

Ithaca, June 20.—Coming from be-
hind Cornell in the varsity race, Syra-
cuse won the major event of the in-
ter-collegiate regatta Saturday by one
length. It was the most sensational
finish of a boat ever witnessed on the
Cayuga lake course.

Syracuse won by a powerful drive
during the last quarter mile. Syra-
cuse took the lead at the start but
lost it at the mile mark when Cornell
jumped into a scant lead. It was a
gruelling contest between Cornell and
Syracuse. Columbia was third and
Pennsylvania fourth.

At the one and one-half mile mark,
Cornell was rowing a 33 stroke and
Syracuse was hitting 32. Within
the sight of thousands of spectators
grouped near the finish, Stroke Ram-
mell of the Syracuse crew called for a
spurt. The Syracuse power increased
and 75 yards from the finish the
Orange boat passed the Cornell "varsity
which was rowing its first race of
the season.

Cornell's "heavy" varsity could not
regain its lost lead and Syracuse
flashed across the finish line a strong
winner. Pennsylvania finished third,
two lengths behind Cornell and Col-
umbia finished fourth, one length be-
hind Pennsylvania. Time of "varsity
hundred": 11:02 3-5; Cornell,
11:03 1-3; Columbia, 11:03 1-5; Penn-
sylvania, 11:09.

Cornell won the junior "varsity" race
leading Syracuse by one-half length at
the finish point. The Cornellians took
the lead at the start and were not
headed during the race. Syracuse gave
Cornell a hard race, threatening at
one-half mile mark to cut down a scant lead
of a quarter length. Pennsylvania was
third at the mile mark with Columbia
half length in the rear. Stroke
Knight of the Cornell junior "varsity"
directed a spurt to which the Cornell
eight responded and shortly afterward
there was open water between the Cor-
nell and Syracuse shells. Cornell grad-
ually increased its lead while Syracuse
made an unsuccessful spurt during the
last half mile. The Pennsylvania and
Columbia crews fought gamely for
third position, the Pennsylvania
crossing the finish line one-half length
ahead of Columbia.

Time of junior "varsity" race: Cornell,
10:45 3-5; Syracuse, 10:53; Pennsylv-
ania, 11:14 4-5; Columbia, 11:17.

Cornell won the Freshman race, the
first event of the intercollegiate re-
gatta, by four lengths.

STRIKE OF YARDMEN TIES UP ALL FREIGHT

Pennsylvania, Reading and B. &
O. Announce Embargoes; Pas-
senger Service Normal

Philadelphia, June 20. — The yard-
men's strike in the Philadelphia dis-
trict, which started Friday night, af-
fected the movement of freight today
on both the Pennsylvania and
Reading railroads. Both companies to-
night placed embargoes in the local
yards on all freight except perishables,
livestock, food and fuel for public
utilities. The action was taken, accord-
ing to a statement by the company, as
a precautionary measure and not be-
cause of any immediate effects of the
walkout. Passenger service on both
roads is being operated on a normal
basis, officials stated.

Baltimore, June 20. — Baltimore
was hit by the new railroad strike ear-
ly today, and it is claimed by the
shippers that every freight yard in or
around Baltimore virtually is paralysed.
With about 100 yardmen absent
from the yard, although even the
strikers do not say that 100 per cent
of the yardmen are yet out. Up to
late hour tonight, only the yardmen
walked out while all the road crews
were working and the railroad
company were able to maintain full
passenger service.

C. W. Galloway, vice president in
charge of maintenance and operation
of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, an-
nounced tonight that there was an
absolute embargo on freight of ex-
cept description to all points east of
Cumberland, Md.

RAILROADS IN EAST WILL TRY TO MOVE MORE COAL

Washington, June 20.—Railroads
east of the Mississippi river, at the
direction of the Interstate Com-
merce commission, will enter to-
morrow on an attempt to relieve
coal shortages existing in the East
and notably in New England. The
commission's order provides that
railroads east of the Mississippi for
30 days shall give all coal mines pre-
ference over all other industries in
the supply of cars.

Another order, issued yesterday
by the commission and effective
Thursday, requires railroads in the
eastern and southern territories to
accord priority to coal assigned for
shipment by water to New England
or any other domestic destination.
This order is to be effective until
further orders by the commission.

CONTEST OVER SEATING REED AS DELEGATE

District Wants Him, But
State Convention Has
Rejected Him

DELEGATES ARRIVING

A. M. Palmer Expected to Leave
For Frisco Today—Democrats
to Establish Women's Status

San Francisco, June 20. — A con-
test over the seating of United States
Senator James A. Reed of Missouri as
a delegate, and recommendations for
a complete change in party law so as
to establish definitely the status of wo-
men in the party organization, prob-
ably will come before the Democratic
National committee at its meeting
here next Friday, preparatory to the
national convention next week, party
executives said tonight.

It also was announced that At-
torney General A. Mitchell Palmer
would leave Washington for San Fran-
cisco tomorrow, and that United
States Senator Carter Glass, pros-
pective chairman of the convention's
resolutions committee, will be here
Wednesday. Governor Edward I. Ed-
wards of New Jersey is expected to ar-
rive Friday or Saturday.

District vs. State Power.

The Reed contest possibly devel-
oped today when it was learned the
Senator had been restored as a dele-
gate at a convention of fifth Missouri
congressional district delegates yester-
day, after his name had been thrown
out and his place declared vacant by
a state convention. The question is
one of jurisdiction between the state
and district conventions.

Sensor Reed's antagonism to cer-
tain policies of the Wilson adminis-
tration will make any contest in his case
one of tremendous importance, ac-
cording to leaders here.

There are 36 delegates from Mis-
souri. Until yesterday the only con-
test in view was that involving 25
Georgia delegates, whose adherence is
claimed both by Attorney General Pal-
mer and by the faction of the party
headed by United States Senator Hoke
Smith and Tom Watson. On the re-
sult of this contest will depend the
right of Clark Howell, oldest member
in point of service on the National
committee, to be renamed to that
post. Howell is for Palmer.

The Smith-Watson faction is ad-
vancing W. C. Verren, who was named
on the committee by a state con-
vention, which was bolted by the Pal-
mer adherents, who maintained that
Howell should continue.

It was pointed out that Attorney
General Palmer, who is a member of
the national committee, could act as
his own counsel in this contest: if he
cared to do so.

The recommendations to establish
definitely the status of women in the
party still were in a formative stage
today.

Auditorium's Acoustics Excellent.

National Chairman Homer S. Cum-
mings, Vice Chairman J. Bruce Klem-
mer, National Treasurer W. W. Marsh
of Iowa, and National Committeeman
Norman E. Mack of New York, head-
ed a party which tried out the ac-
oustics of the Municipal auditorium
yesterday. Today they acknowledged
the test had been successful in every
way and that enunciation similar to
those used at the recent Chicago con-
vention would be employed only for
roll calls and other routine. In view
of the improved acoustics since the
auditorium had been prepared for the
convention, they declared, the formal
speeches could be heard without any
amplifying device being utilized.

Kansas City, June 20. — United
States Senator James A. Reed yester-
day was unanimously re-elected to
represent the fifth Missouri (Kansas
City) district at the Democratic na-
tional convention in San Francisco.

The district delegation re-elected
Senator Reed after he had been re-
jected by the state convention, which or-
dered the district to name another
delegate.

Wayne Wheeler Attacks Cox.

Washington, June 20. — Wayne B.
Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-
Saloon league, today asserted that Gov-
ernor Cox of Ohio "cannot sleep"
the charge that he is the wet candi-
date for president "that all his friends
admit that he stands 'for a beer and
wine amendment.' The beer and wine
amendment, according to Mr. Wheeler,
is a direct attack upon the eighteenth
amendment because it attempts to re-
peal the latter through enactment of
a law which prevents its enforcement."

Cox has been elected governor
of Ohio by defeating the people as to
his attitude on this question," Mr.
Wheeler's statement continued. "He
even testified Mr. Bryan through two
campaigns when he stumped the state
for him, but the dry Democrats in
Ohio and the nation will not be mis-
led."

Smith on Way to Frisco.

Chicago, June 20. — Governor Al-
fred E. Smith of New York, Charles
F. Murphy, Tammany hall chieftain,
and 125 delegates from Illinois to the
Democratic National convention, left
here tonight for the Pacific coast, and

TWO WHITE MEN KILLED IN NEW CHICAGO RIOTS

Race Conflict Follows
Burning of American
Flag By Negroes

DOZEN MEN INJURED

Several Hundred Policemen Re-
store Order Before Disturbance
Spreads Over City

Chicago, June 20. — Two white men
were killed and several negroes, in-
cluding a negro policeman, were
wounded tonight in a riot in the heart
of the South side "black belt," follow-
ing the reported burning of an Amer-
ican flag by a band of negroes who
were said to have paraded in the in-
terests of a "Back to Africa" move-
ment.

The dead are:
R. L. Rose, white, a shoemaker.
Joseph Hoyt, white, a cigar dealer.
Rose was shot through the heart,
dying instantly. Hoyt's head was split
across the brow, leading the police to
believe that he had been killed by a
blow from an axe. Later investigation,
however, brought the conclusion that
his skull had been split by a dum dum
bullet.

Police Reserves Rushed to Scene.

The trouble occurred at 35th street
and Indiana avenue, near the scene
of last year's race riot, in which more
than 30 whites and blacks were killed
and hundreds injured.

Several hundred policemen were
rushed to the district and succeeded
in restoring order before the distur-
bance spread. More than a thousand
negroes gathered, but no general riot
occurred.

Several negroes who witnessed the
flag burning ran to a pool room at
36th street and Indiana avenue and
asked aid of persons in the place in
preventing the act.

Rose, who was in the pool room,
and a number of negroes, proceeded
toward the gathering of blacks. They
were joined by Policeman Owens, who
attempted to arrest one of the group.
Owens started to search the man for
a weapon when other negroes in the
crowd were reported to have drawn
pistols.

Rose Shot Through Heart.

It was not known who fired the first
shot. Owens was wounded in the
back, and Rose, who had just left
Hoyt's cigar shop after enlisting the
latter's aid, was shot through the
heart.

According to the statements of
spectators, the parading negroes dis-
embarked and gathered in a circle around
an American flag, which they set on
fire. After it had burned a little, they
stamped on it and then several drew
revolvers and began firing at it.

The sounds of the shots attracted
many negroes who were not in the
parade and they rushed into nearby
pool halls and cigar stores for assist-
ance, according to statements made
by the police.

The police declared tonight that
they probably never would know the
exact number wounded. Several were
carried off by friends. It was said, for
the parading negroes disappeared
rapidly after the first few shots. Es-
timates ranged from one to a dozen.

FATAL RIOTING IN LONDONDERRY

Five Persons Killed and 100 More
or Less Seriously Injured in
Outbreak Saturday Night

SOLDIERS INEFFECTIVE

Disorderly Elements Hold Sway
For Some Time; Unionists and
Nationalists Clash

(By The Associated Press)

Londonderry, June 20.—Five per-
sons were killed, ten others seriously
wounded, several of them probably
mortally, and about 100 others were
less seriously injured, during a period
of desperate rioting in this city Sat-
urday night. The fighting was ac-
companied by several attempts at in-
cendiarism, one of which resulted in
the burning of a large drapery store.

The rioting was a continuation of
the disorders of Friday night, when
nationalists and unionists were en-
gaged in clashes for several hours and
the military had to be called out. The
military remained in what were con-
sidered the danger zones, but notwith-
standing its presence, the disorderly
elements held sway for some time.

No Full Record of Wounded.

In many instances, persons who
were suffering from minor wounds
went home without seeking treat-
ment. The authorities have no record
of the number of such cases. Among
the wounded are several shipyard
workers with bad gunshot wounds.

The authorities had taken elaborate
precautions in view of the expect-
ed renewal of the disorders. The mil-
itary, fully equipped, took positions at
the head and foot of Bridge street,
which is the nationalist quarter, and
on Fountain street, the unionist quar-
ter. An armored car was drawn at
Carlisle road, between these localities,
to keep the rival factions apart.

The hope that these precautions
would lead to the preservation of
peace, however, was not fulfilled, and
another night of terror resulted.
These latest scenes of rioting, which
left the city absolutely terror stricken,
were said to have originated in what
at first appeared to be a minor squab-
ble between unionists and nationalists
at the junction of Long Tower street,
in the nationalist quarter, and Upper
Fountain street, the unionist district.
These two streets being separated only
by Bishop street, the scene of blood-
shed for many years during periods of
rioting. Men armed with rifles and
revolvers afterwards came into con-
flict, and before the military could in-
tervene several had been killed.

Pandemonium Reigns.

From shortly after 9 until 11
o'clock pandemonium reigned. A shot
fired from one party into a crowd of
rival partisans developed with omi-
nous speed into violent rioting. Party
colours were raised, and the unionists
assembled at the head of Upper Foun-
tain street, poured forth volley after
volley of rifle and revolver fire into
Long Tower street, with disastrous re-
sults.

Another crowd of unionists in Albert
street maintained a cross fire in the
direction of Bishop's gate, with the re-
sult that the people in the vicinity
fled panic stricken to shelter. The
nationalists did not seem to be so ter-
rified with weapons as their op-
ponents, but they maintained a vigor-
ous defense.

In an early stage of the battle two
men were shot dead in Long Tower
street, and a number of persons, in-
cluding a baby in arms, were
wounded.

MRS. STRAUS GIVES JEWELS

New York, June 20.—Mrs. Nathan
Straus has donated all her jewels,
valued at \$15,000, to the Zionist or-
ganization of America for the de-
velopment of medical and health serv-
ices in Palestine, the organization an-
nounced here today.

She made the gift at the same time
her husband gave \$100,000 to the Zion-
ist organization for a health and medi-
cal research department for the He-
brew university of Jerusalem. But at
her request it was not made public un-
til after she had sailed for Europe
Mr. and Mrs. Straus are now on their
way to Palestine.

REMAINS OF COLLEGE FOUNDER LAID TO REST

Governor Coolidge Participates
in Impressive Memorial Serv-
ices At Williams College

Williamstown, Mass., June 20. —
Governor Coolidge and representatives
of the army participated today in the
impressive ceremonies attending the
placing of the remains of Colonel
Ephraim Williams, founder of Wil-
liams college, in a special vault under
the chancel of the college chapel. Gen-
eral Pershing and Rear Admiral Sims,
who had been expected to be present,
were unable to come.

Colonel Williams was killed by In-
dians at the battle of Bloody Pond
near French Mountain, Lake George,
N. Y., on September 8, 1755, and was
buried on the battle field. His grave,
marked with a boulder. Nearly a
hundred years later, Williams col-
lege purchased a small plot of land
surrounding the grave, enclosed it
with an iron fence, and erected a
monument nearby.

This spring a commission represent-
ing the college exhumed the remains,
which were placed in a specially de-
signed urn. This urn was brought
here today.

Just outside the town limits, the
conveyance bearing the urn was met
by Company M, 10th Infantry, of
Adams, which escorted it to Field Me-
morial park, on Main street. There
a procession was formed, marshaled
by two Williams graduates, Colonel
Archibald Hopkins of Washington, a
Civil War veteran, and Lieutenant
Colonel Charles W. Whitteley of New
York, who won fame in the world war
as commander of the "Lost Battalion."

In the long line that marched to
the memorial chapel, were Governor
Coolidge, Major General Clarence R.
Edwards, commander of the 26th
(Yankee) division in the World war,
Major General William A. Pew, re-
tired, of the state militia; General J. J.
Sullivan, members of Williams facul-
ty, alumni, and the senior class.

At the chapel, the urn containing
the remains of the college founder
was placed in the vault and stone ta-
blets bearing his name and the names
of the Williams men who lost their
lives in the Civil war and the World
war were unveiled. A memorial ad-
dress was delivered by Rev. John S.
Zelle of Troy, N. Y., a Williams alu-
mus.

CUP GOES TO WINNER OF RESOLUTE-VANITIE FINALS

Newport, R. I., June 20. — The
Newport Yacht Racing association to-
night offered a cup for the winner of
the most races this week, the last in
the series of elimination trials be-
tween the sloops Resolute and Vanitie,
for the honor of defending the Ameri-
ca's cup.

Bristol, R. I., June 20. — New sails
of lighter canvas than those at pre-
sent used by the sloop Resolute, the
America's cup defense candidate, were
taken from the Herreshoff shops here
today for possible use this week. The
sails included two main sails, a spin-
aker, and a number of smaller head
sails, and were placed aboard the
tender Montauk, which sailed tonight
for Newport.

OLYMPIC TO BE RESTORED.

New York, June 20. — After an ab-
sence of nearly a year, the White Star
liner Olympic, one of the largest pas-
senger carriers in the world, will be
restored to the New York-Cherbourg
and Southampton service within a few
days.

The Olympic served as a transport
during the war and carried more than
200,000 American troops and rammed
and sunk a German submarine during
voyages which logged a total of 184,
000 miles. With the last of the Amer-
ican soldiers home after the signing
of the armistice, she was taken into
drydock for an overhauling.

MOTORCYCLE HILL CLIMBING.

Port Jervis, June 20.—The motor-
cycle hill climbing championship of
New York, Pennsylvania and New
Jersey was won here today by A. Ter-
penning of New York city, who set a
new record of 10 1/2 seconds for the
annual 300-foot climb up Rhyntown
mountain, an incline of from 20 to 75
percent grade. The previous record
was 12 seconds.

Terpenning also won the side car
event, going 523 feet before stopping.

A few cars back of them, on the same
track, were Senator Hiram W. John-
son and Mrs. Johnson.

Neither the New York nor Sena-
tor Johnson would discuss politics.
"We don't know what we are going to
do at the convention," said Governor
Smith. The New York delegation
probably will have some very definite
plans to present, but we have not de-
cided on them yet."

With the Governor were Charles W.
Berry, New York state adjutant gen-
eral; Charles M. Winchester, president
of the Albany Chamber of Commerce;
and W. A. Humphrey of Albany. The
latter is not a delegate but simply a
"member of the Governor's party," he
said.

Senator Johnson said the only thing
worrying him tonight was "where he
was going to sleep." His statement
had been resaid and was occupied
when he reached the train. "After I
have been in California a week or
two, I may be ready to talk politics,
but I have nothing to say now," he
said.

U. S. GOVERNMENT VERY UNWIELDY, SAYS ROOSEVELT

Methods Are Cumber-
some and Wasteful,
Navy Official Charges

AUTHORITY MISPLACED

Too Much Assumption That Ex-
ecutives Will Use Offices For
Political Purposes, He Says

Washington, June 20. — Rejection
of the present methods of making ap-
propriations and reclassification and
redistribution of the work of the vari-
ous executive departments are recom-
mended by Assistant Secretary Roose-
velt in a letter to Representative Ire-
land, Republican of Illinois, which
was made public today at the navy
department.

Mr. Roosevelt wrote in reply to an
inquiry from Mr. Ireland as to which
of any reorganizations, reforms or
consolidations could be made in the
navy department. The assistant sec-
retary did not confine himself to that
department. He recommended that
congress:

Create a true budget system, not
the small beginning already attempt-
ed.

Consolidate the appropriations in
one general committee, with sub-com-
mittees to deal with separate subjects.

Put into law the general principles
recommended by the reclassification
committee's report, together with the
authorization of adequate salaries to
government employees.

Invite a conference with the execu-
tive branch of the government, look-
ing to a reclassification and redistri-
bution of the work of the depart-
ments.

Give by law greater authority to the
heads of the executive departments in
conducting their executive business, at
the same time holding these heads
more directly responsible for the suc-
cessful administration of their work.

Entire System Fundamentally Wrong.

Mr. Roosevelt said that the entire
system of relationship that exists be-
tween congress and the department
is fundamentally wrong.

"Congress, for various reasons," he
said, "has so tied the hands of the ex-
ecutive officers for the government
that they have no discretion in the
fundamental questions of employment.
I do not believe, of course, that the
civil service system should be wiped
out or that we should return to the
"spoils" system, but there is altogether
too much assumption in this govern-
ment that executive officers will use
their offices for political purposes. My
own wonder is that, considering the
existing circumstances, the employees
of the government are as efficient as
they are."

As to consolidations of any bureaus
so as to increase efficiency, Mr. Roo-
sevelt said a lot of work was being
done in other departments which
ought properly to be under the navy,
and that a great deal of work was be-
ing done by the navy department
which could properly be transferred
to other departments.

Government Methods "Cumbrous."

"After seven years down here in an
executive position," he continued, "I
cannot help the conclusion that our
governmental methods are cumbrous
and wasteful. I am equally frank in
telling you that I think the first im-
provement must come in what is after
all the source of governmental activi-
ties, i. e., the legislative branch. I
hope that you will not take it as a
criticism of any individual or this par-
ticular congress when I call your at-
tention to the very unwieldy, inade-
quate and unbusiness-like methods un-
der which the house and senate of
the United States conduct their busi-
ness. For instance, the navy depart-
ment has to go before the naval af-
fairs committee for its main appropri-
ations; it also has to go before the
appropriations committee for the
money to run the force in Washington,
and I can cite numerous instances
where the department has fallen be-
tween the fires of the two commit-
tees."

ERWIN T. WEIS NOT CONNECTED WITH SHOOTING AT DARTMOUTH

Hanover, N. H., June 16. — Erwin
T. Weis of Hull, Ala., had no connec-
tion whatever with the shooting affair
at Dartmouth last Wednesday.

"Through a confusion of names, it was
stated in the press dispatches that Mr.
Weis had been detained as a witness.
The man detained was C. C. Nicely
Weis of Akron, Ohio. Mr. Weis had
not the remotest connection either
with the tragedy or the whiskey smug-
gling which led up to it."

CURTIS DEAD IN BINGHAMTON.

Binghamton, June 20. — George B.
Curtis, for 14 years United States dis-
trict attorney of the northern district
of New York, died at his home here
today. He was 70 years old.

Mr. Curtis had been elected a mem-
ber of the New York City
Authors club.

SMITH ON WAY TO FRISCO.

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and 125 delegates from Illinois to the
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date for president "that all his friends
admit that he stands 'for a beer and
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is a direct attack upon the eighteenth
amendment because it attempts to re-
peal the latter through enactment of
a law which prevents its enforcement."

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SMITH ON WAY TO FRISCO.

Chicago,

Results of Yesterday's Games

LEAGUE LEADERS ARE FIRM

Cincinnati Nationals and Cleveland Americans Both Dispose of Principal Rivals During Week.

New York, June 20. — The ability of the Cincinnati Nationals and the Cleveland Americans to maintain a winning pace against the eastern teams in the present inter-sectional series has enabled them to retain the leadership of their leagues. Each disposed of its chief rival, the Brooklyn Nationals and the New York Americans, respectively, last week. Rain interfered with the schedule of both league leaders.

Brooklyn National pitchers have been unable to check the western visitors, losing series to Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago. St. Louis' spectacular climb, which started in the West, met with a surprising interruption in Philadelphia, where the Quakers won three out of four. Both Chicago and Pittsburgh have recovered from their losing slump.

In the American league, Cleveland was outslugged and defeated today by Boston, whose pitchers engaged in close, low-scoring battles with Detroit last week. New York broke the winning streak of St. Louis today after the Browns had won ten straight victories through splendid batting.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

GIANTS SHUT OUT PIRATES.

Carlson Knocked Out of Box in First Inning, While Hamilton Is Effective.

New York, June 20. — The New York Giants defeated Pittsburgh, 8 to 0, here today. Carlson was knocked out of the box in the first inning, the Giants scoring five runs. Hamilton, who succeeded him, was effective except in the third.

Pittsburgh . . . 00000000—0 6 1
New York . . . 50200001—5 9 1
Batteries — Carlson, Hamilton and Schmidt, Haffner; Douglas and Smith, Snyder.

CHICAGO TRIMS BROOKLYN.

Grimes Is Hit Hard in First Five Innings and Cuts Nab Game.

Brooklyn, June 20. — Chicago defeated Brooklyn, 4 to 2, today. Grimes was hit hard in the first five innings.

but did not allow a hit in the last four. Vaughn was effective in every inning except the fifth.

Chicago . . . 10012000—4 5 0
Brooklyn . . . 00002000—2 9 2
Batteries — Vaughn and O'Farrell, Grimes and Miller.

Other teams not scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

SENATORS TAKE ANOTHER.

Washington Victorious in Game Which Is Called Because of Rain.

Detroit, June 20. — Washington won from Detroit in five innings today, 9 to 4. The game was called on account of rain in the sixth, after Washington had scored four additional runs, the score reverting to the standing at the end of the fifth inning.

Washington . . . 20502—9 11 1
Detroit . . . 20101—4 9 2
Batteries — Shaw and Gharriery, Leonard, Oldham, Okrie and Stangor.

WHITE SOX LIKE TO HIT.

Chicago Bats Perry Hard and Scores 7-5 Win over Philadelphia.

Chicago, June 20. — Chicago batted Perry hard today and defeated Philadelphia, 7 to 5. R. H. E. Philadelphia . . . 01100010—5 14 4
Chicago . . . 02400010—7 10 1
Batteries — Williams and Schalk, Perry, Keefe and Perkins.

BREAK BROWN WINNING STREAK.

New York Yankees Get Lead in Second and Maintain It Throughout.

St. Louis, June 20. — New York today defeated St. Louis, 4 to 3, and broke the local winning streak that had reached ten straight. Ruth's single, followed by Bodie's home run into the rightfield stands in the second, sent New York into the lead and they were never headed.

New York . . . 02000200—4 5 0
St. Louis . . . 00000030—3 12 0
Batteries — Quinn and Hannah; Shocker, Davis and Severid.

RED SOX DOWN CLEVELAND.

Despite Five-Run Lead, Boston Succumbs in Getting Game, 10-9.

Cleveland, June 20. — Overcoming a five-run lead, Boston defeated Cleve-

land, 10 to 9, today. The Indians drove Pennock from the box in the third. Carr went in and was instrumental in winning the game, scoring three runs on two hits and a base on balls. He weakened in the eighth and was relieved by Russell. Score: Boston . . . 100032210—15 3
Cleveland . . . 015000020—3 15 0
Batteries — Pennock, Carr, Russell and Walters, Bagby, Myers, Mortor and Nunamaker.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Marion, 4; Kansas City, 1.
Louisville, 5; Toledo, 4.
Louisville, 5; Toledo, 4, (second game).
St. Paul, 4; Milwaukee, 2.
St. Paul, 5; Milwaukee, 10, (second game).
Columbus-Indianapolis, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Akron, 14; Syracuse, 9.
Akron, 15; Syracuse, 4, (second game).
Reading, 15; Rochester, 9.
Toronto, 3; Baltimore, 2.
Jersey City, 6; Buffalo, 2.
Jersey City, 5; Buffalo, 4, (second game).

EASTERN LEAGUE

Albany, 3; Worcester, 2.
Hartford, 2; Waterbury, 1.
Pittsfield, 9; Bridgeport, 5.
New Haven, 5; Springfield, 3.

SATURDAY'S GAMES

National League.
Pittsburgh, 3; New York, 6.
Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 5, (12 innings).
Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 2.
Philadelphia, 10; St. Louis, 2, (first game).
Philadelphia, 6; St. Louis, 1, (second game).

American League.
Washington, 5; Cleveland, 1.
Boston, 4; Detroit, 3.
St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
Chicago, 6; New York, 5, (10 innings).

International League.
Akron, 4; Syracuse, 1, (first game).
Syracuse, 8; Akron, 7, (second game).
Buffalo, 9; Jersey City, 1, (first game).
Buffalo, 9; Jersey City, 0, (second game).
Reading, 7; Rochester, 4.
Baltimore, 4; Toronto, 1.
Baltimore, 6; Toronto, 5, (10 innings, second game).

Eastern League.
Albany, 1; Worcester, 0, (10 innings).
Springfield, 16; Bridgeport, 1, (first game).
Springfield, 10; Bridgeport, 3, (second game).
Pittsfield, 1; New Haven, 0.
Hartford, 5; Waterbury, 1, (first game).
Hartford, 6; Waterbury, 1, (second game).

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Won	Lost	P.C.	
Cincinnati . . . 30	21	.588	
Brooklyn . . . 28	23	.549	
Chicago . . . 29	25	.537	
St. Louis . . . 29	27	.518	
Pittsburgh . . . 23	26	.467	
Boston . . . 21	26	.447	
New York . . . 23	31	.426	
Philadelphia . . . 22	31	.415	

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Won	Lost	P.C.	
Cleveland . . . 36	19	.655	
New York . . . 33	21	.614	
Chicago . . . 31	25	.554	
Boston . . . 28	24	.538	
St. Louis . . . 27	28	.491	
Washington . . . 26	28	.500	
Detroit . . . 19	28	.422	
Philadelphia . . . 16	42	.276	

NORWICH-ONEONTA GAME FARCE

Locals Run Away With Visitors and Score 16-1 Victory.

In a very one-sided game at Neahwa park, last Saturday afternoon, the Oneonta Cubs defeated Norwich, the final score being 16-1. The visitors played throughout like a bunch of school boys and the way the Cubs walked away with the game was about like taking the proverbial peanuts away from a baby.

Davis was on the mound again for Oneonta, but at the end of the fifth inning he had practically assured an Oneonta victory, so he retired in order not to use up his arm unnecessarily for Sunday's game at Susquehanna. During the short time he was on the mound, however, he amply demonstrated his natural ability as a pitcher, for at one point he fanned two Norwich batters in succession and the visitors' men scarcely a hit.

Norwich used two pitchers in an effort to stop the Cubs but to no avail. The local batters counted out singles and doubles and a single was often stricken into a double or triple as a result of bone-head baying on the part of the visitors. It was in the fifth inning, however, that the greatest landside took place, for the Cubs batted as they pleased and kept running around the bases in a reckless way.

At the end of that game they had piled in ten more runs. When Laguerre was caused in the grandstand when the Norwich pitcher, attempting to put out an Oneonta man at third, threw the ball toward the Cub coach as he base-ware instead of to the Norwich base-ware and two Oneonta men came across the home plate while the ball was being recovered. Damascene near-ly wore out the battery on the pell when he rang it ten times as a signal to the boys in the outfield who tended to the score board, one of whom came running in with the message, "We Batteries — Oneonta, Davis and Boylan" go no tens! Whereupon a name was put up instead.

Oneonta ball fans are looking forward to the day when there will be a "live" line of ball at Neahwa park than was played Saturday. When

TRADING CONTRACTED DURING LAST WEEK.

Securities Market Gives Promise of Settling Down to Dull Summer Routine.

New York, June 20. — With the approach of the mid-year and its unprecedented large disbursement of interest and dividend payments, the securities market last week gave promise of settling down to a dull but steady summer routine.

Trading was on the smallest and most contracted scale of any similar period in more than a year, but the trend of prices, despite uncertainty among erstwhile leaders in the industrial division, was irregularly higher.

Among standard or high grade issues, railway shares made the best showing. Interest in that group, which languished after the cut in Chicago and Northwestern dividends, revived as a result of the retention of regular dividends by such representative roads as Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Louisville and Nashville.

In substance, however, changes of the week were commonly attributed to an over extended or precarious bear pressure, rather than to anything even remotely approximating public interest or support.

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 5,496 tubs; creamery, higher than extras, 38½¢@59, extra (92 score), 57½¢@58; firsts (88 to 91 score), 53¢@56; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 41.

Eggs — Irregular; receipts, 17,244 cases, storage packed, extra firsts, 47¢@48; do, firsts 44¢@45½; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 45¢@47½; do, firsts, 42¢@44; state, Penna. and nearby western henry white, firsts to extras, 47¢@56; do, brown, extras, 50¢@53; do, gathered browns and mixed colors, firsts to extras, 42¢@49.

Cheese — Firm; receipts, 1,292 boxes; state, whole milk, Mats. current make, white and colored, specials, 25½¢@26½; do, average run, 24½¢@25; state, whole milk, twins, held white and colored, specials, 27½¢@28½; do, current make, 25½¢@26½; do, average run, 24½¢@25.

Poultry — Live, firm, freight broader, 65¢ express, do, 45¢@55; fowls, 28, roosters, 21; turkeys, 35; dressed, steady and unchanged.

Rye — Easy, No. 2 western, \$2.49½.

New York Meats.

Cattle — Receipts, 575; no trading. Calves — Receipts, 325, lower, veals, \$12.50@16, culls, \$10@12; no skim milk calves.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 2,015; steady; sheep (awes), \$8@9, lambs, \$16.25@17.50.

Hogs — Receipts, 1,625; steady at \$15.75@16.25, pigs, \$15, roughs, \$13.

ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.	
Corn meal, cwt.	\$4.62
Cracked corn	\$4.57
Corn, per bu., old	\$2.53
Table meal	\$5.00
Corn and oats	\$4.58
Ground oats	\$4.72
Oats, per bu.	\$1.54
Scratch feed, fowls, ct.	\$4.84
Wheat bran	\$3.58
Buckwheat, cwt.	\$4.00
Gluten	\$4.46

the strong Binghamton and Johnson City teams that have been scheduled come here for their games. It is to be hoped that there will be some "real" baseball.

In the beginning of the sixth, Babbitt relieved Davis and his work was very good, allowing three hits in four innings and striking out four of the Norwich batters. The support given the Oneonta pitchers was of good style. Norwich seemed to have an off day, nine errors were charged to the team and the team work was very ragged.

Score by innings: R H E
Norwich . . . 0000 00010—17 9
Oneonta . . . 212110000—16 12 0

Batteries—Norwich, Ladden, Schraft and Macho; Oneonta, Davis, Babbitt and Boylan. Struck out by Ladden 1 in six innings, Schraft, three in three innings; Davis, eight in five innings, Babbitt, four in four innings. Three base hits, Brown. Attendance, 407.

SUNDAY GAME AT SUSQUEHANNA

Oneonta 3, Susquehanna, 0, Davis, Invincible.

Wednesday's Cubs traveled to Susquehanna Sunday and played the fast Susquehanna team of that village, winning the game by the close score of 3 to 0. The game was a well played one and a good game to watch. Both pitchers working hard, out Davis was invincible, allowing only one hit and striking out 12 men. In the third, fourth and fifth innings, Davis fanned eight of the nine men that faced him and seemed to have the Susquehanna boys baffled at his offerings. In the fifth inning Oneonta scored their first run. Boylan hit safely over short for a single and scored on Sullivan's hit over second. The Cubs also scored two runs in the sixth when F. Weeks hit through short and stole second, scoring on Gardner's home run hit over first base, leaving the ball in the grass. The nearest the Susquehanna team came to scoring was in the fourth inning, when Madigan hit safely over third and was forced to second when Clark was hit by pitched ball. Score by innings:

Oneonta . . . 000012000—3 10 2
Susquehanna . . . 00000000—0 1 0

Struck out—By Davis, 12, by Thomas, 3. Home runs, Gardner. Base on balls—Off Davis, 1, by Thomas, 1. Batteries—Oneonta, Davis and Boylan; Susquehanna, Thomas and Shields.

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TEXAS UNITED STOCKHOLDERS

Dr. L. W. Green of Milford, N. Y., left Saturday, June 19th, for Dallas, Texas, to inspect the properties of the TEXAS-UNITED OIL CO. Wm. S. Pratt, president, will personally conduct him over the entire holdings of the company.

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

OTSEGO GIRL A JUNE BRIDE
Miss Florence Broadfoot Married to Douglas A. Little, Bank Attache.

Otsego, June 20. — Miss Florence Broadfoot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Broadfoot of this village, and Douglas A. Little of Sidney were married last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. H. F. Lesh. The bride was a quiet one, the couple leaving town unaccompanied and proceeding to Hambridge, where the ceremony was performed and they started on their honeymoon. They expect to be away a week or ten days and will visit Syracuse and other Western New York points.

The bride is one of Otsego's most talented young women and has a host of friends hereabouts. She is a graduate of Wyoming seminary and Syracuse university. For some time past she has been an assistant at the local post office and has given efficient and courteous service to all.

Mr. Little is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Little of Long Island, who a few years ago made their home in Otsego. He served overseas for 18 months during the world war, and since his return has been employed at the Sidney National bank. He is a capable young man and the community will unite in wishing the young couple many years of wedded happiness.

Upon their return from their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Little will make their home with the bride's parents, and he will continue his work at Sidney. They were the recipients of many valuable gifts which testify to the general esteem in which they are held.

HARTWICK NEWS.
Shower for Bride-To-Be Proves Enjoyable Event—Commencement.
Hartwick, June 20. — Mrs. Glen Fields gave a kitchen shower last Friday evening for Miss Emma Fields, whose marriage to A. J. Gente will take place in the near future. About 20 guests were present, including Miss Ingolsbee of South Hartwick and Miss Gente of Mt. Vision. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion in yellow and white, the tables and favors carrying out this color scheme. The evening was pleasantly occupied with various forms of entertainment, at the close of which a most delicious supper was served. Miss Fields was the recipient of a goodly amount of kitchenware, including several pieces of Pyrex.

Commencement Week.
The Baccalaureate sermon to the class of 1920 of Hartwick Union school was delivered this evening by Rev. A. D. Rines, at the Methodist Episcopal church. Graduation exercises will take place at the E. M. B. A. hall on Tuesday evening. An attractive and varied program has been prepared by the faculty and students for this occasion.

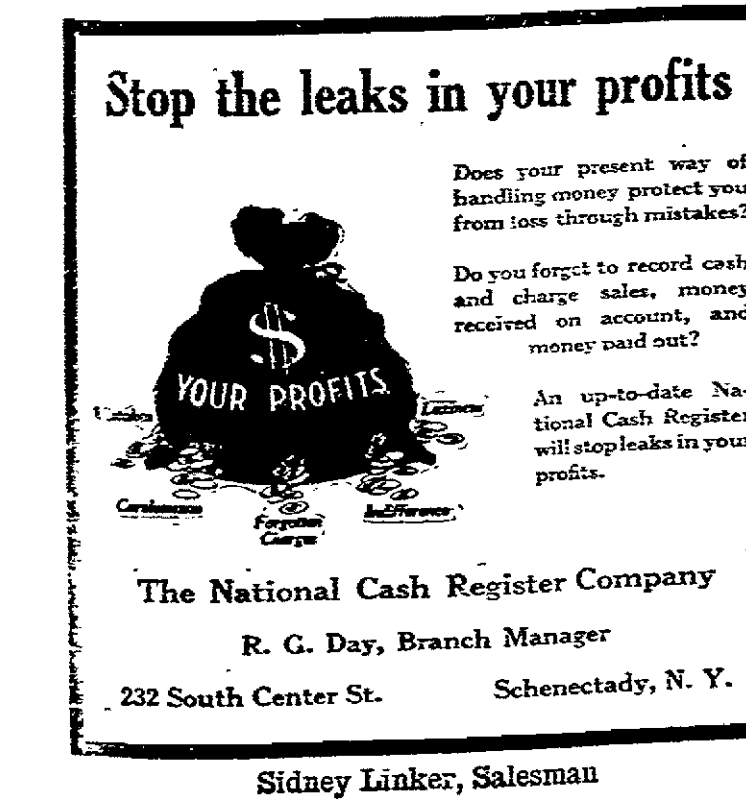
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Pink Silk Camisoles; few styles at 75c. Silk and Lace combined: good styles, at \$1.95, \$2.25 and \$2.50	Women's and Misses' Elastic Corsets in flesh color \$4.00
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The Alumni banquet will be held at the hall on Friday evening.
Home Economics Meeting.
The June meeting of the Home Economics club will be held in the Christian church parlors on Friday afternoon. The county leader will be present at this meeting with a nurse to give a health talk. All ladies of the community, whether members of the club or not, are invited to attend this meeting. It is a lecture which will be well worth hearing. The ladies of Mt. Vision and Lena will be present at this meeting.

SCHENEVUS AUTO RUN.
High School Graduating Class Will Motor to Cooperstown Thursday.

Schenectady, June 20. — The Alumni association will have an automobile run, with supper at L. A. Pratt's hotel in Cooperstown, on Thursday afternoon, in honor of the graduating class of 1920. All expecting to attend will meet at the home of Miss Marjorie Chase at 2 o'clock. It is desired that all dues be in the hands of the committee, Miss Rita M. Brown or Miss Helena Swankamer, not later than Wednesday.

Points About People.
Miss Eleanor C. Bennett, who has been spending some time in Poughkeepsie, has arrived in town for the summer — Earl C. Davis of Akron, Ohio, arrived in town Thursday evening. — Miss Grace Lovell spent Friday afternoon in Oneonta. — Miss Ruth Steelman left Saturday morning for her home in Parish. — Postmaster Leo P. Bennett left Sunday for Springfield, Mass., and will spend a short time with his brother, Samuel T. Bennett and family. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. W. J. Card, of Otsego.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS
SEVENTEEN YOUNG GRADUATES

Will Receive Diplomas From Delaware Academy This Week.
Del., June 20. — All of the Commencement exercises will be held in the high school auditorium and will be interesting to those who care to go and hear them. Rev. George N. Mahaley, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, preached the baccalaureate sermon this evening. On Monday, at 3:30 p. m., will be the class day exercises and on Tuesday evening at 8:45, the class play will be given. Prof. H. A. Hamilton of Elmira college will address the graduating class on Thursday evening. The list of young people who will go from Delaware academy's doors as graduates follows:

Virginia Lasher, Herbert Decker, Walbur Valentine, Murray Wilcox, Cynthia Ade, Nellie Brown, Marleza Cobbe, Jeanette Forman, Annis Hume, Hazel McClure, Helen Means, Ardath Miller, Katherine Odgen, Ella Shah, Madge Wilson, Ruth Crawford, Clara Truscott.

DONALD GRANT CITED.
Delaware County Lieutenant of World War Commanded by Commander.

Hobart, June 20. — First Lieutenant Donald H. Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hume Grant, last week received a citation from Major General Summerall, who commanded the first regular army division during the World war. The citation was awarded for gallantry in action and especially meritorious services.

Lieutenant Grant served all through the war, was among the first to go overseas and was a member of the First division, which was never brigaded with any Allied troops and which from Canagay to the Argonne saw some of the bloodiest fighting of the war.

Hobart's Week-End Guests.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beers motored here from their home in Catskill Friday and were guests of Frank Sullivan, man. — A son, Elmer Robert, was born on June 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gregory of California, but well known in Hobart. — Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Mayes motored to Fleischmanns Saturday, where they were guests of relatives. — C. R. O'Connor of New York spent Saturday in town. — Mrs. Joseph Bailey and daughters, Dorothy and Kathleen, of Binghamton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Mayes. — Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sheffield motored Saturday to Delhi.

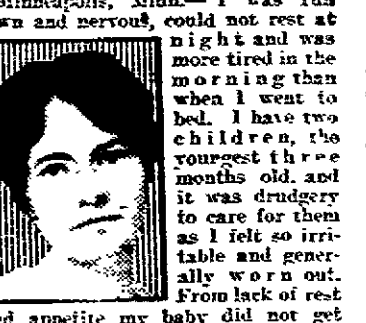
"Oh, Grandpa!" Tuesday Evening.
East Meredith, June 20. — The Meredith Dramatic club will present its comedy, "Oh, Grandpa!" Tuesday evening of this week, instead of Wednesday evening, as previously announced. McCammon's orchestra will furnish music for the occasion, and the public is invited to attend.

Grease Spots.
When grease is spilled on a hardwood floor it can be hardened and scraped off if cold water is poured on. If it is not detected immediately, cover the grease spot with starch or powdered chalk, which will absorb most of the grease. It can then be washed off with hot soap suds.

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A LONG VIEW.
In looking at the present situation,
we are all more or less influenced by
comparison with prosperity during the
war, disappointed if earnings do not
reach the high period of that
period, or hoping that future months
will again show such a condition,
says the Bache Review of current
date. This is a false view to take of
the outlook. We have reached the
peak of a long trend upward of nearly
all prices. On such a trend profits are
not only possible, but in fact,
almost the usual thing, given ability
and good management. But the re-
verse is the case when prices are fall-
ing or trending in the opposite direc-
tion. It is only by the most careful
management that any profits at all
can be made under such conditions.
The utmost conservatism and economy
must be practiced to bring about good,
or even tolerably good, results. This
applies to every individual as well as
to corporations and business men; all
must be content with smaller profits
and must pare down expenses accord-
ingly.
We are undoubtedly facing the
declining period and should act con-
formably. Some factors are tending
to keep prices up, such as present
shortage in many basic commodities,
but this will be corrected by a certain
amount of economy, which in develop-
ing in buying of non-essentials. Slow-
down in the manufacture of these will
furnish man-power for the necessary
industries, and under a widespread
movement of this kind which is bound
to come, the manufacture of the need-
ed things will increase, supply will
overtake demand, and we shall have
in due time the price descent.
All this will be aided by the un-
loading of needed things which were
bought for speculation when prices
were ascending, and were held for
higher prices.
The process of tipping out the specu-
lative loads is bound to keep up
under the banking pressure for pay-
ment which will be maintained, we
think, even if an easier market de-
velops.

DON'TS FOR AUTOMOBILISTS.
Here are a few "Safety Don'ts"
for automobilists, taken from the mo-
tor vehicle law booklet just issued by
Secretary of State Hugo and which
might well be posted on the wind-
shield or in the memory tank of the
driver, particularly in view of the
many accidents occurring these days
through sheer carelessness and with
cars as thick as flies on an August
morning. Incidentally, the records in
Mr. Hugo's office show a registration
these days that will bring the year's
total close to the 725,000 mark.
Don't forget the pedestrians. They,
too, have rights on the streets and
highways.
Don't forget to slow down at street
and road intersections. It may save
a human life.
Don't forget that Safety First for
yourself and others saves life and
limb.
Don't forget to look to the right as
well as the left at all railroad cross-
ings.
Don't forget to use extra precau-
tions when you see a child crossing
a highway.
Don't forget to examine your brakes
for very often these mean life or
death.
Above all, remember that the A B C
of motoring stands for Always Be
Careful.
First, last and always, Don't Take
Chances.
Dr. Gilbert at Unadilla.

Unadilla is again doubly fortunate
in having a man of state wide reputa-
tion address a local audience as the
announcement has been made that Hon.
Frank B. Gilbert, L. L. D., of Al-
bany, deputy state commissioner of
education, will be present at com-
mencement next Tuesday night, de-
livering an address and presenting the
diplomas to the graduating class. Com-
missioner Gilbert was made a Doctor
of Laws this week by Hamilton col-
lege, his alma mater. His audience
was secured through Hon. Charles
C. Flaesch, the two gentlemen being
personal friends of long years stand-
ing.
To Attend Baptist Convention.
Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Farley and Mr.
and Mrs. Charles L. Eldred leave to-
day for Buffalo, where they will attend
the annual Northern Baptist conven-
tion as delegates from the local First
Baptist church. Other delegates are
Henry Saunders and Mrs. L. S. Dar-
ling, who will leave later in the week.
This convention is the annual gath-
ering of Baptists of the northern
states and is attended by between 5,
000 and 6,000 delegates. The local
delegates are anticipating a pleasant
and profitable trip.

Simmons Family Reunion.
The eighteenth annual reunion of
the B. A. Simmons family will be held
in Neahwa park, Oneonta, Saturday
of this week. A cordial welcome is ex-
tended to all relatives, who are asked
to bring their own refreshments.

O. H. S. BACCALAUREATE
Delivered By Rev. E. A. Martin
of Binghamton, Formerly
of Oneonta
SIMPLE GOSPEL THE ONE NEEDED
Strong Sermon Delivered Before Grad-
uates of High School at Auditorium
Last Evening—Large and Atten-
tive Audience Present.
Largely attended was the Baccala-
ureate service of the Oneonta High
school, held at the auditorium last
evening, the sermon being given by
Rev. Dr. E. A. Martin of Binghamton,
formerly district superintendent of the
Oneonta district of the Wyoming con-
ference, now filling a similar position
at Binghamton. The sermon was de-
voted to a strong appeal for the Gos-
pel of Jesus Christ as the world's need
in this crucial hour.
Opening the exercises, "Come, Thou
Almighty King," was sung, after which
the invocation was offered by Rev. F.
M. Coughney and then Miss Hanson of
the department of music sang a solo,
which was a feature of the service.



Rev. E. A. Martin.
Rev. F. M. Luther read the scriptures
and Rev. Dr. Russell offered the prayer.
The Girl's chorus of the school
rendered the anthem, "They Praise
Will We Sing," after which Dr. C. S.
Pendleton announced Dr. Martin.
The text of the reverend gentleman
was composed of two passages which
he combined: "His name shall be called
wonderful," "For He shall save His
peoples from their sins." He spoke in
part as follows:
There is a book written on the
"Seven Wonders of the World." But
the greatest wonder of the world is
not the pyramids of Egypt or the
Colossus of Rhodes or the Hanging
Gardens of Babylon. The wonder of
wonders is the Christ, because he is
the savior of sinners.
It is remarkable that in spiritual as
well as in material things, we marvel
at the commonplace and behold the
marvelous as commonplace. We see
a startling experiment in chemistry,
such as the spontaneous combustion
of some liberated gas, and our eyes
stand out in wonder. But we forget
that the same phenomenon is taking
place on an infinitely larger scale by
night and day around the world and
in all the worlds; for every fire that
burns is only a similar chemical ex-
periment on a larger scale. We wonder
at the insignificant but all the while
fail to see the infinitely great.
The most wonderful thing in the
world, whether it strikes us dumb
with amazement or not, is the Gospel
of the Son of God.
Here then is the problem—men are
to be saved. Here are the limitations—
their nature, environment and des-
tiny. What shall solve the problem?
I. If the answer to this problem
were left to a vote of mankind, an over-
whelming majority would be rendered
in favor of the non-Christian
religions as the forces that are to
save man. But you can not save men
by vote, however great the majority,
else it would have been gone long
ago. These false religions have failed,
partly because they have not
grasped the conditions of salvation,
and partly because they are only
human in their resources.
II. Another proposed savior of men
is philosophy. Prominent among the
living philosophies are positivism and
agnosticism. They both ignore faith
but for different reasons. But neither
of them ever fed the hungry, clothed
the naked, visited the sick of thrust
any lever under the weight of the
world's woes. These systems and all
other human philosophies have failed
to save men because they have closed
their eyes to the facts and issues of
sin.
III. Another proposed savior of men
is science. The claim is not made by
science itself, but by some of its
zealous exponents. If science is the
real toward which the nations should
press, why does it not regenerate the
nations over which it holds sway?
Why should the bloodiest, most in-
human war be fought from its bat-
tlements?
It is returned on the other hand,
why has not Christianity represented
these evils. The return is a proper one
and the answer is easy: Christianity
has fought these evils, civilization has
fostered them. It is not civilization
that the world needs, but civilization
with a conscience. Better the unex-
plored wilderness than the bedazzled
palace of civilized shame.
Science has sent its devotees to
heavenly lands; but for what? To ob-
serve the transit of Venus or the
eclipse of the sun. Science brought
medicines from India, but it left no
healing balm for sin-sick souls. We
must look elsewhere for the savior of
humanity.
IV. Many thoughtful men are con-
siderately proposing education as the
efficient savior of the human race.

Education merely utilizes the forces
it finds in man. But man needs help
outside of himself. Education knows
but one world and that the present;
man needs provision for the future.
Education develops for a life of three
score years and ten and not for eter-
nity. And shall such save the people
from their sins? What then shall be
the savior of the world?
V. "I am not ashamed of the Gos-
pel of Christ for it is the power of
God unto salvation." "His name shall
be called wonderful for he shall save
his people from their sins." But we
must test the Gospel by the same
standard. Does it take into account
man's full nature, environment, and
destiny? It provides for man's phys-
ical, moral and spiritual nature. It
provides for man's intellect, sensibili-
ties and is the only agency that pro-
poses an adequate remedy for sin or
answers the question, "What must I
do to be saved?"
The Gospel was not bounded by a
stable. The witnesses of the infant's
birth were more than the beasts of
the stall. The footsteps of the car-
penter's Son were heard beyond Judea.
The bloody sweat of Gethsemane
composited the whole earth. The rising
tread of the Son of God shook off
death's fetters to the end of time and
the ultimate triumph of the Son of
God is coming. Coming to turn our
sorrow into joy. Coming to save us
from our sins. Coming to thrust un-
der us the lever of His infinite love,
to throw around us the everlasting
arms of His pity, to lift us to Himself,
to His palms and crown. His scepter
and His throne.
In closing, he turned and addressing
himself to the members of the class,
he stated that he could not forego the
pleasure of congratulating them upon
completing the course in the High
school; urged them to pursue further
studies if possible, and plead
with them to choose character rather
than reputation; to stand for what
they know to be right; to be true to
God; to have the courage of a Daniel,
and to live the life heroic and one
of service rather than of selfishness.
The hymn, "Holy Spirit Light
Drive," was sung, and Dr. E. J. Far-
ley, who presided, pronounced the
benediction.

PLEDGES ITS MORAL SUPPORT.
Directorate Improvement Association
Considers Dairymen's League Project.
A special meeting of the directors
of the Otsego Improvement associa-
tion was held at Municipal hall in
Oneonta on Saturday. There were
fifteen directors present, the hearing
being called to consider the request
of the Dairymen's League Co-operative
association, Inc., that the Im-
provement association give moral and
active support in Otsego county to the
campaign now being conducted for
the purpose of selling certificates of
indebtedness wherewith to raise
funds to buy or build milk stations or
plants.
The League Co-operative associa-
tion was represented at the meeting
by Thomas E. Williamson, manager
of organization for the association.
He stated that the league is now rais-
ing 700,000 in Otsego county, which
is more than any other county is
doing in any of the six states in which
the league is operating.
After listening to the report of the
league, the matter was freely discus-
sed and resulted in a motion by
C. W. Peaslee of Laurens, seconded by C. B. Henry of
Worcester, that the Otsego County
Improvement association give the
Dairymen's League Co-operative as-
sociation, Inc. its moral support the
same as its moral support is given to all
other organizations for the further
development of Otsego county.

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J. F. Thompson Resents Remark of
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Sir: In behalf of a thousand of my
neighbors and myself, who believed
and still believe in General Leonard
Wood and regret the failure of the
party to nominate him, I object to our
being characterized by Nicholas Mur-
ray Butler as "a motley group of
stock gamblers, oil and mining pro-
moters, munition makers and other
like persons." The statement was ill-
advised, absolutely groundless and
shows a lack of understanding of public
sentiment. It further causes us to
congratulate America on President
Butler's inability to substitute the
president of Columbia university in
place of the ex-president of Princeton
as president of the United States.
As an alumnus of Columbia I de-
plore the failure of its head to main-
tain a respectable attitude toward one
of the foremost citizens of this coun-
try.
J. F. Thompson.

CHAUFFEURS' EXAMINATION.
Next Opportunity for Licenses Will Be
Thursday, July 1.
Albany, June 20. — A chauffeur
examiner will be in Oneonta on July
1 for the purpose of conducting an
examination which will be held at
the high school at 11:30 o'clock. Sec-
retary of State Hugo cautions all those
who intend to take the examination
not only to be on time but to also
bring with them the necessary permit.
Those who have not already filed their
applications should lose no time in
doing so. There is every indication
that a large number will be on hand
to take the test.
Records in Mr. Hugo's office show
that last year there was an increase
of 3,376 chauffeurs in this state.
These figures have already been ex-
ceeded this year and the year's total will
probably be close to 230,000. There is a
heavy demand for chauffeurs these
days but the supply appears to be
about equal to the demand.

Dayton Family Reunion.
The sixth annual reunion of the
Dayton family will be held at Sher-
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present development and the possibilities of the Company. Also investigate
these men, to make certain the safety of your investment. I am a manufac-
turer in New York City. For fifteen years I have successfully handled a
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I am able to tell you facts regarding MOHAWK OIL CORPORATION
that will inspire confidence, and I feel sure give you an opportunity of invest-
ing in an enterprise that will give you profits and dividends for years to come.
Please read the announcement below. Call, or write for me to call at the
earliest moment. I shall be with you for investigation until June 24th at the
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Investment	Realized
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100 " HOG CREEK OIL CO.	2,000
100 " POWELL FARM OIL CO.	20,000
100 " TRAP SHOOTER CO.	42,000
100 " COLLINE OIL CO.	18,000
100 " CENTRAL CO.	43,000
100 " HOME CO.	10,000
100 " WINCHESTER CO.	12,000
100 " HOME BURN CO.	4,000
100 " ALCAIDE OIL CO.	20,000
100 " AMERICAN PETROLEUM CO.	20,000
100 " CARIBBEAN OIL CO.	6,000
100 " COLE POOL OIL CO.	7,000
\$100 INVESTED IN FARMERS PETROLEUM CO.	Realized
100 " FILLMORE OIL CO.	15,000
100 " HOFFMAN OIL CO.	8,000
100 " IMPERIAL OIL CO.	7,000
100 " KERN OIL CO.	4,500
100 " LECHE OIL CO.	15,000
100 " PEARL OIL CO.	4,500
100 " QUAKER OIL CO.	10,000
100 " SOUTHERN OIL CO.	8,000
100 " SPENCER OIL CO.	16,000
100 " PRODUCERS OIL CO.	25,000
100 " UNITED CO.	150,000

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8 a. m. 50
2 p. m. 72
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Maximum 75. Minimum 45

Saturday's Record

8 a. m. 52
2 p. m. 64
8 p. m. 58
Maximum 72. Minimum 48

LOCAL MENTION.

—Dr. G. W. Simmons is driving a new Oakland six roadster.

—Have you inspected the showings of photos and other interesting relics in the show windows of the city? If not, it should be done today before they are removed as they will be found worth while.

—Carl Clark's trained animal show is scheduled to give performances, afternoon and evening, at Neahwa park today. The show boasts of a wonderful display of trained ponies and other animals, and guarantees a satisfactory performance.

—There were no candidates present at the State Civil Service examination scheduled for Saturday last at the office of George L. Gibbs esq. No notice of July examination has as yet been received, and it is not the usual custom to hold such examination during the midsummer months.

—Prof. Frank VonNeer of Brooklyn, who came here from his summer home at Davenport to take part in the Klipnockie day doings, rendered a solo at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning, which was much appreciated. Prof. Von Neer was a member of the Presbyterian choir a quarter of a century ago and his reappearance was a welcome one.

Teacher Entertains School Children.

Miss Bertha A. Bulky, teacher of district school No. 12, located on Blend hill, Upper West street, entertained her pupils last Saturday at her home, 2 Murdock avenue. The afternoon was pleasantly passed in games, recitations and music, and later delicious refreshments were served. The little folks had a great time playing together and will look forward to a similar event next year.

Children's Day Exercises.

The Children's Day exercises of the Main Street Baptist, First Methodist Episcopal and United Presbyterian churches were given yesterday, the programs as given in The Star of Saturday, being admirably carried out. The Children's Day program of the Lutheran Sunday school, being the final one of the Oneonta churches, will be given next Sunday.

Meetings Today.

Stated communications of Oneonta lodge, No. 485, F. A. M., held this evening at 8 o'clock. Work, second degree. Fellowship.

Meeting Postponed.
Company G band rehearsal is postponed until Thursday night.

For Sale—Having had over 27 years of active professional and real estate work, I offer a part or all of my real estate for sale so as to give more attention to my increasing office practice. Property is located at 29 to 35 Dietz street, a few hundred feet from the center of the city and adjoining the Huntington park. Will pay for themselves in incomes and should double in value in 15 years. Will sell a part or all on easy terms at a price at which it can be bought as an investment. Dr. J. P. Elliott, Oneonta, N. Y.

A better investment than Liberty bonds. This ten-room house on Elm street, with modern improvements; large lot; garden up and growing; fruit, cherries, plums, grapes, etc. Five rooms let for summer school. You take possession July 1. Your income begins at once. Charles G. Eldredge, 30 Cedar street. Phone 745-W2.

Used Car Bargains.
Model 33 Overland, like new. Maxwell five passenger. \$550.00. Magwell roadster. \$500.00. Fords. \$450 and \$500.00. Stevens Hardware company, Inc. advt 51

For Sale—Whitely-Knight, seven-passenger touring car, driven about 3,000 miles; newly painted and in splendid condition in every way. Low price for cash. Inquire B. C. Lauren, 202 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

We are still closing out at retail our wholesale stock of Para Belle and Golumbia tires at cost prices while they last, as per Monday's Star. Some sizes left. Get busy. The Oneonta Grocery company, 56 Broad street.

Pianos Tuned.

John H. Dakin from New York is now at the Windsor hotel. Special attention given to player pianos. Telephone at once if you desire him.

A sure way of reducing the cost of living without reducing the standard is by using Juanita brand margarine in kitchen and dining room. It is inexpensive but nothing could be better.

Strawberries, fresh from the farm. Hubbard's, Cooperstown Junction. Phone 9-PS. Finest ever. Order now. Come see.

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Lost—Saturday night on Main or Dietz streets, two auto switch keys. Finder please return to Star office.

Wanted—Short order cook with or without experience at the Pioneer lunch.

Dr. Simmons will sell his road horse at a reasonable price.

HAPPY HOMECOMING OF KLIPNOCKIANS

Address of Dr. W. W. Giles and the Banquet Saturday Evening Outstanding Features

HOME TIES ARE STRENGTHENED

Motor Ride About City in Morning—Welcome By Mayor Ceperley and Dr. Russell—Greetings From President Reynolds—Silver Cup Presented O. C. McCrum—Toasts By C. C. Swift, T. D. Tallmadge, L. D. Reynolds and A. E. Richardson.

Memorable in the history alike of the city and of the Klipnockie Boys of New York and vicinity was the "Welcome Home" extended the latter over the week-end, the chief events of which were given on Saturday. The first event was the ride about the city, commencing at 10 o'clock, and thereafter the visitors were given no idle moments until the day ended, with practically the entire delegation and many friends here still reminiscing over the days of long ago following the banquet rendered them at the Country club at 7 o'clock. The weather was ideal for the occasion, and its many enjoyable features will linger long as a sweet memory for all participants, for present as well as former residents. Sunday was reserved for personal calls upon friends and old acquaintances. Late in the day the visitors by twos and threes commenced to take their departure for home, much the larger number, however, will remain for a longer stay and doubtless another week-end will arrive before the last one will return. While the number in attendance did not quite reach 100, it was very gratifying, considering that the club membership is only 158. In every essential feature the occasion was considered a success by the visitors, and they all declared that they returned to the swirl of the metropolis with keener affection and closer ties for the friends back home.

Quite possibly one of the most beneficial results of the visit locally has been the more full realization of the part of our people of the fact that of the large number of Oneonta boys who have gone to the big city nearby, if not quite all, have acquired themselves with credit and are not only prosperous but useful members of society and in various lines of commercial activity. Impossible for obvious reasons now, at a later date The Star hopes to collaborate an article upon Who's Who Among Klipnockians, which will prove interesting beyond a doubt.

Delightful though the banquet proved, enjoyable as were the renewals of old acquaintances and the awakening of old memories, the outstanding feature of the day was the address given at the High school auditorium by Dr. W. W. Giles of East Orange, N. J., who came as the special guest of President Leon D. Reynolds of the club. Unfortunately Saturday afternoon proved an unpropitious hour and the attendance of townsfolk was disappointing. However, those in attendance were rewarded with what many considered the choicest and most inspiring address to which they ever listened. It was replete with many happy incidents told in a captivating manner, yet with a point that clinched a truth effectively and so interwoven with sober thought upon the vital questions of the day as to leave an indelible impression upon the minds of his hearers.

Following a happy introductory in which he gained close attention to the end, he declared a young man's greatest asset to be his personality, which may be considered as composed of intelligence, affection and will. The speaker declared that when these are properly coordinated with neither accentuated and properly incarnated with truth and consecrated to some worthy enterprise and aim in life combined with qualities which master circumstances rather than are slaves to them, we find men who are successful and serve mankind.

Later he appealed with an irresistible eloquence for adherence to the principles which are so forcibly expressed in the constitution of the United States, the great bulwark of our liberties and the continuance of the republic and to stand firm with all the influence one can command for the retention of its provisions so essential to the continuance of our civilization. He urged most effectively thrift, declaring that all our resources will be needed during the next few years and closed with an impassioned appeal for Americans to be kind to our late allies, especially Great Britain and France. This is a most satisfactory epitome of an effort such as one hears only on rare occasions indeed.

Prior to the afternoon exercises, the City band gave a short program and then escorted the Klipnockians and friends to the high school building, where, after a short reception and an inspection of the building, which all pronounced admirable and in some contrast with the old building, the oil portrait of the late N. N. Bull attracted much admiring attention, the program was given, with M. C. Hemstreet, chairman of the entertainment committee to whom much of the credit of the success of the day is due, presiding.

Mayor A. E. Ceperley was announced, after a selection by the band, and he spoke briefly, saying that he could not resist saying a word of welcome because of interest, despite being temporarily in the background by orders of his physician. He said he could not find words to express how deeply the citizens appreciate the home coming of the old boys. He urged all to report any failure of the

LAST CALL ALUMNI BANQUET.

Get Tickets for This Evening's Entertainment Early as Possible.

Those who desire to attend the banquet and entertainment which will be given this evening by the Alumni association of the Oneonta High school, are requested to secure tickets as early as possible either of Miss Beach at the Stevens Hardware store, of W. A. Holley at the Citizens' National bank or at the Corner bookstore. The program is meritorious and Prof. Randolph Somerville has spent two weeks in the selection and drilling of characters for the two plays which are to be given. The purpose, moreover, which is to raise funds for a memorial tablet for O. H. S. boys who lost their lives in the world war, is most commendable, and it is hoped that there will be liberal response on the part of alumni and citizens.

Tickets for the entertainment, which includes two plays and the dancing which follows will be 75 cents each. For those who desire to attend the banquet as well as the entertainment and dance, the price is \$1.25.

D. A. R. Luncheon at Country Club.

Members of the local and National chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution residing in Oneonta, with a few from other chapters, in all about sixty, spent a very pleasant afternoon Saturday at the Country club. A delicious luncheon was served in the club dining room, which was artistically decorated with bachelorette buttons and pennants, and afterwards a short program was given, which included a recitation, "Revolutionary Tea," which was ably presented by Miss Elizabeth Brownell, two excellent piano solos by Miss Josephine Lauren, and an address by Mrs. Nash of Albany, state regent, who urged cooperation in their work upon all the chapters of the state. Following the luncheon and program, a social afternoon was spent.

Gypsy Motorcycle Tour.

Owing to road and other unfavorable conditions, not so large a number of motorcyclists as was anticipated made the Gypsy Tour trip to Three Mile Point on Oswego lake yesterday. None of the cars from Oneonta and Sidney arrived, and the start from Oneonta was made with 15 cars, nearly all of them carrying two passengers, at 8:30 yesterday morning. Luncheon was served and the day was very pleasantly spent at the Point.

To Visit Home in Italy.

Three well-known natives of Italy—Raffaele Rossi, George Ottaviano and Domenico Divino of this city, departed from Oneonta yesterday for New York, whence they sail at once for their native town of Alvenano. Though they had been in Oneonta for periods ranging from 8 to 20 years, this is their first visit home, and they all go to the same town, which was their birthplace.

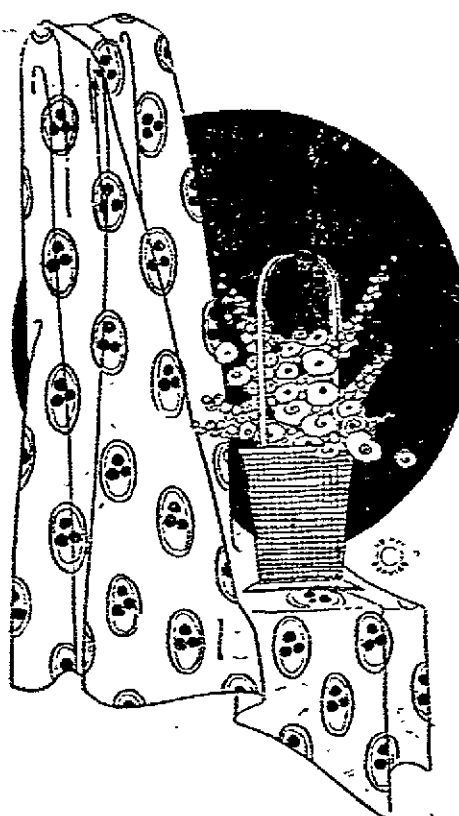
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PERSONALS

Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner of Morris was a business caller in Oneonta Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price of 22 Grove street spent Sunday with friends in Otego.

Mrs. Jay Zeh of Jefferson is a guest of Mrs. J. D. VanDyke of 51 Chestnut street.

R. A. Patten, who is at present residing in Binghamton, spent Sunday with Oneonta relatives.

Miss D-La Mangen of Binghamton is spending a week with her nephew, J. A. Baker, 45 Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Beach of Binghamton visited the former's brother, F. J. Beach, in Oneonta Sunday.

G. E. Kilburn of New York city was a guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dibble, 457 Main street.

Mrs. Genevieve Alger of Binghamton was a guest at the home of Ira Alger, 12 Mosher avenue, over Sunday.

Mrs. S. D. Miller of Norwich, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Strong of 164 River street, returned home Sunday.

Miss Olive Donald of the Nestle's Food company's offices is spending a two-weeks' vacation with her parents in Middletown.

Mrs. Herbert Fullington of Bloomville, who had been visiting friends in Oneonta and West Oneonta, returned home Saturday.

Secretary A. B. Davis of Postoffice Point arrived in Oneonta Saturday to spend a few days with his family at 23 Spruce street.

Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, who had been visiting her brother, James Boylan, 86 River street, returned Sunday to her home in Binghamton.

Mrs. Frank Walling of 15 Fourth street departed last evening for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Sayre, Pa., and in Elmira.

Mrs. E. C. Yager of 497 Main street is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Waites, Washington, avenue, Albany for a few weeks.

Miss Lucetta V. Simmons, a teacher at the Pennsylvania state college, is spending the summer vacation with her father, Dr. G. W. Simmons.

Mrs. Mary Moore of Cobleskill, who had been spending a week at the home of Mrs. C. E. Norton of 22 Cherry street, returned home Saturday.

Van B. Smith of Elmira arrived in Oneonta Saturday and is the guest for some time of his nephews, E. H. and M. B. Wilcox, 25 Wilcox avenue.

Mrs. Elmer Fullington of Bloomville, who has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Crandall of Columbia street, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. Hogan and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lynch, of 82 River street, returned home Sunday after spending some time with relatives in Carbondale and Scranton.

Master George B. Mills of 199 River street left Sunday for Margaretville, where he will spend the summer vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Decker.

Mrs. Warren Dunshoe of 45 Cherry street and Mrs. J. VanDeusen of 39 Cherry street were called to Albany Saturday by the illness of Mrs. Dunshoe's mother-in-law.

Dr. L. W. Green of Milford was in Oneonta Saturday on his way to Dallas, Texas, on business in connection with the Texas-United Oil company, in which he is interested.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knapp of New York city and A. J. O'Neil of Brooklyn, who attended the outing of the Klipnockie Boys in Oneonta on Saturday, left for home last evening.

Rev. Dr. E. A. Martin of Binghamton, who delivered the High school baccalaureate sermon last evening in Oneonta, is a guest while in the city of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. B. H. Johns.

Mrs. Lillian B. Searies was seriously injured recently when, while leaving the Normal school building, she slipped and fell in the hall near the entrance, breaking her hip bone slightly below the joint. She was immediately taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Louis Murdock, of 8 State street, where the fracture was reduced by Dr. Brinkman. Her condition at the present time is favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Meritt and son, Milton, whom the delightful festivities—the words are in their own—inspired to Oneonta last week, returned yesterday to their home in New York city.

Gerald Murray, who is taking a course in electrical engineering with the General Electric company at Schenectady, spent Sunday with his parents, Conductor and Mrs. William Murray, 27 Otego street.

Mrs. Celia Seaver and Miss Anna Belle Seaver left Saturday for a two-weeks' sojourn at Middletown Springs, N. Y. Miss Seaver will then go to Burlington, where she will teach in the University of Vermont during the summer session.

Miss Nina V. Short, local secretary of the Otego County Tuberculosis association, who had been attending a three weeks' session at the institute for tuberculosis patients, United Charities building, New York, returned to Oneonta Saturday.

Mrs. Seymour Scott also had been spending the winter with her daughter in East Orange, N. J., the guest for about two weeks of Mrs. C. K. Lauren, Grote street, later she goes to the home of her son, Charles A. Scott in Cooperstown for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Auchenpaugh leave today for a visit with their daughters, Mrs. S. B. Kirkpatrick of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. L. J. Bergh of Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Auchenpaugh expects to remain for the summer, but Mr. Auchenpaugh will make a shorter sojourn.

Mrs. Martha Vaughn and three children, Seymour, Lawrence and Frances, who have been guests for a few days of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Farley, leave this morning for their home in Hudson Falls. They came to Oneonta from Ithaca, where the children are students at Cornell university.

Rev. Dr. E. M. Johns and son, Robert, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rose and son, motored last evening to Milford, where the former delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the High school. On Tuesday Dr. Johns will deliver the address to the graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Beach, lately of 24 Center street, leave today for Albany, where Mr. Beach has purchased a desirable residence at 2 MacDonald street, and where they expect permanently to reside. Mr. Beach has since December been an employee in the Income Tax bureau of the comptroller's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Barick of Kingston are guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Charles Colvin, of 9 Jose avenue, for a few days. They were recently married at Kingston, the bride's home. Mr. Barick is well known in Oneonta and Cooperstown, his home being in the latter place. During the World war he served with Company G, 16th infantry.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. More of Roxbury and Albert Rose of Pine Hill, returned to their homes Saturday, after spending the week in Oneonta, to be present at the Normal commencement exercises, their daughter and sister, Miss Florence Rose, being a member of the class of 1920. While here, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Burgess, West End avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spencer Rowe and daughter, Helen, have returned from a ten days' trip to Oberlin, Ohio, where they attended the Oberlin Conservatory of Music. Mr. and Mrs. Rowe's other daughter, Miss Frances Rowe, being one of the graduates. While away, Mr. Rowe attended the U. C. T. convention at Elmira and was again honored by being chosen grand counselor. Miss Frances Rowe, who returned to Oneonta with her parents, will spend the summer here.

Nothing so easily braved as tea. None other so satisfying and delicious as Biwa.

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MISS ELSIE JOHNSON BRIDE

Popular Member of Oneonta Normal Faculty Married Saturday to J. Stanley Cobb of State College, Pa.

One of the most charming weddings of the season was solemnized Saturday at high noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Johnson, 25 Maple street, when their only daughter, Miss Elsie May Johnson, was the bride of J. Stanley Cobb of State College, Pa. The ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Dr. James C. Russell of the First Presbyterian church, in the presence of about 75 relatives and friends of the young couple, including the members of the faculty of the Oneonta Normal school.

The couple were attended by Mrs. Mary Johnson Moore, only sister of the bride, as matron of honor, and Russell V. Moore, a college classmate of the groom, as best man. The bride's gown was of hand embroidery and tulle lace on white net over white satin and was imported from England. She wore a veil of white tulle, caught by a wreath of orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. Her only ornament was the groom's gift, a gold brooch set with a diamond. She was given a marriage by her father, Mrs. Moore was gowned in flesh-colored satin, draped with white tulle and caught with rosebuds, and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. Helen Rowe, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rowe, acted as flower girl. She wore a white embroidered dress trimmed with pink ribbons and carried a basket of pink and white carnations and baby's breath, the ring being tied with white ribbon to the basket.

The ceremony took place before a bank of ferns and daisies, while the house was tastefully decorated with syringas, peonies and ferns. Miss Irene Posthill, of the Normal faculty, accompanied by Miss Carrie French, also of the Normal, as pianist, and Miss Edith Eggleston of this city, as violinist, sang in a pleasing voice, "You Asked Me Why I Love You So." Mendelssohn's wedding march was rendered by Misses French and Eggleston.

Following the reception and felicitations, a delicious wedding breakfast was served to the guests under the direction of Mrs. Lottie Casteline, cateress. Later, Mr. and Mrs. Cobb departed by auto amidst a shower of confetti for Binghamton, from which city they left by rail for Ithaca and Cayuga Lake, where they will spend part of their honeymoon. They will also visit Atlantic City and Philadelphia before going late in August to State College, Pa., their future home.

As an evidence of the esteem in which the bride is held by her friends in Oneonta and elsewhere, there was a large collection of beautiful and costly gifts, including checks, a Liberty bond, cut glass, silver, etc.

The bride, who is a native of Cayuga Lake, Pa., has been a resident of Oneonta for the past 15 years and is one of its most esteemed young women. Prior to coming here, she was graduated from the Susquehanna High school and also attended Syracuse university. Upon coming to Oneonta, she entered the State Normal school and was graduated with the class of 1919. She then accepted a position as an instructor in the public schools of Ithaca, where she was engaged for eight years, following which she returned home and for the past two years has been a capable and popular member of the Oneonta Normal faculty. Her many friends will regret her departure from Oneonta, but will extend hearty best wishes for her future happiness.

Mr. Cobb, who is the son of Mrs. Lauretta K. Cobb of Groton, was graduated from Cornell university with the class of 1915 and from Amherst, class of 1919. Since that time he has been engaged in horticulture extension work at Amherst and Boston. During the World war, he relinquished his college duties for several months to serve overseas as a member of a special unit engaged in the important work of sound range finding. He participated in the memorable drive at St. Mihiel and also in other engagements. He is now assistant professor in agronomy at Penn State college, and the young couple will be at home at 131 South G. I. street, State College, Pa., July 25.

Besides numerous intimate friends of the couple who reside in Oneonta and vicinity, the following out-of-town guests attended the wedding: Mrs. Lauretta K. Cobb and Mrs. F. E. Krumm, of Groton; E. K. Cobb, of Ithaca; Walter C. and Will Johnson, Leslie Johnson, of Troy; Mr. and Mrs. Clara Spaulding of Groton; N. Y. Miss Florence M. and Miss West Pittston; Paul M. and Mrs. Russell V. Moore, of Binghamton; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rowe, of Ithaca; Miss Eda Miller, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Mrs. Decker of Cooperstown; J. G. Falls; and J. L. Blair of Elmira, Pa.

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MARRIAGES.

Gates-Elliott.

Frank H. Gates of Edmeston and Margaret L. Elliott of Oneonta were united in marriage at noon Saturday, June 19, in Cooperstown, at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Smith. The ceremony, which was witnessed by only a few relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Gates, was performed by Rev. Ed-ward C. Pettie, pastor of the Cooperstown Presbyterian church.

Immediately following extension of congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gates, a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Smith, assisted by Miss Margaret Elliott of Burlington, a niece of the bride.

Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Gates departed by auto for a bridal trip to the Adirondacks and the Thousand Islands. Their car had received special attention from some of the wedding guests and as a consequence their exit from Cooperstown northward was not as silent or unobserved as it was speedy.

In about a fortnight Mr. and Mrs. Gates will be at home in Edmeston where the former is engaged in the undertaking business and where he is held in high esteem by a wide circle of acquaintances.

The bride will be greatly missed in Oneonta by many people who have learned to know her for her real worth, but all will unite in a wealth of good wishes for the year to come. Since coming to Oneonta from Burlington eight years ago, she has been engaged in the millinery business, the past four years as head designer in Hubbard's.

Those in attendance at the wedding from Oneonta were Mrs. M. L. Luan, William Luan and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Wyckoff.

Bingham-Crippen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin L. Bingham of Albany motored to Oneonta Saturday and spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Bingham, of 235 Chestnut street. The young couple were married in Albany on April 3 last but succeeded in keeping the fact unknown to their many friends until their arrival here Saturday. Mrs. Bingham, who was Miss Sarah Jane Crippen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Crippen of Albany, also has many friends in Oneonta, she having been a member of the Oneonta Normal graduating class two years ago. Since then, she has been teaching in Albany.

Mr. Bingham has been a resident of Oneonta for most of his life and is well known throughout the city, especially by men who frequented Herrick's clothes shop, Ingerham's cigar store, and other business places here where he has worked. During the war, he served with Millard's field bakery company in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Bingham are making their home in Albany, where he is now engaged in business. Many friends will unite in extending hearty, even though belated, congratulations.

Shawson-Quackenbush.

Samuel C. Shawson and Miss Hattie L. Quackenbush, both of Meridith, were married at 10:30 o'clock Saturday evening at the First Methodist Episcopal parsonage in Oneonta. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. E. M. Johns, the bride and groom being attended by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vanderberg, also of Meridith. The bride is a former student of the Oneonta State Normal school, and during the past year has taught in the public schools of Meridith. The groom is a well-known young farmer of that township.

Committee Appreciates.

To all the citizens who united in so many ways and heartily in cooperating with the effort to make the visit of the Klipnockie boys to this city a success and their stay enjoyable, the committee desires to express its hearty thanks. Especially to those who provided the funds, those who donated motor cars for use either on Friday or Saturday, to those unning in making such an interesting display of historic pictures, papers and relics and to those who joined in refusing the coins of the visitors, we are deeply grateful. It is our belief that you performed a disinterested service to our city, and demonstrated true loyalty to Oneonta and evidenced willingness to the title Oneontian.

The Committee.

Mrs. Todd Given Birthday Surprise.

About a score of the old friends and neighbors from South Side of Mrs. A. N. Todd gave her a birthday surprise Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. F. Germond, West End avenue. The afternoon passed all too quickly in music and remembrance conversation, and later light refreshments were served. A large birthday cake was a feature. As evening drew near, the guests departed wishing Mrs. Todd many more years of happiness. They left a number of gifts, including a hand bag, as tokens of esteem.

Auction!

The undersigned will sell at public auction at his farm three miles from Kortright Station, one mile from Oneonta - Stamford state road, Wednesday, June 23, beginning at 10 o'clock, standard time, his entire dairy of 25 cows, 14 grade Holsteins, balance Guernseys and Jerseys, 15 fall and early winter cows, balance spring cows, nearly all young, mostly raised on farm; one Holstein bull three years old; one Holstein bull one year old; 9 head of young stock all Holsteins; 1 bay mare, 16 years old, weight 1,000 pounds; Empire milk, perfect order; surrey; buggy, etc. Terms: 10 and 60 days on approved notes, bearing interest, payable at the Mutual National bank, Milford, N. Y. P. H. Norburg. C. W. Panslee, auctioneer. advt 11

Of course you eventually "get there" in an oxcart. But most people prefer more modern conveniences. The modern way to perfect flavoring is via Baker's certified flavoring extracts. 61

Rev. C. W. Beach Weds.

At high noon on June 17th, at the home of the bride's parents in Frankfort, N. Y., Miss Naomi Alma Taylor and the Rev. Clifford West-wood were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. L. Smith. Mrs. Beach was for several years a resident of Asheville, N. C. The ceremony, which was witnessed by only a few relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Beach, was performed by Rev. Ed-ward C. Pettie, pastor of the Cooperstown Presbyterian church.

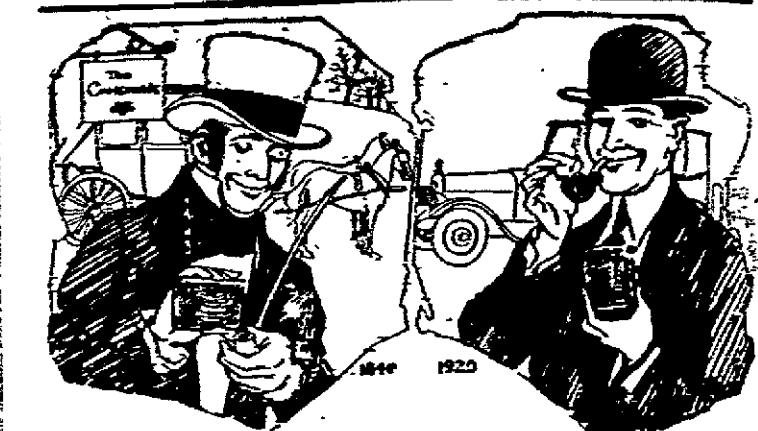
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Allan Ryan's Answer

111 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, June 16, 1920

To the Board of Governors of the New York Stock Exchange and Whomsoever It May Concern:

The motive and underlying scheme of the invitation extended me to appear and stand trial by the Board of Governors are fully understood and appreciated. If I am not mistaken, this is the same Board of Governors who, last March and April, sat in judgment on the Stutz matter and on me; the same Board who, although fully apprised by me in advance of the crisis, still requested me to loan Stutz stock freely, but omitted to take any preventive measures despite my repeated earnest requests; the same Board who secured from me very detailed respecting my operations, but declined to give me the slightest information; the same Board who countenanced a persistent "short" campaign, but accorded me only obstruction and difficulty; the same Board who first illegally suspended trading in the Stutz stock and then later put through an amendment to the constitution in order to acquire such authority; the same Board who permitted its members to sell Stutz right up to the sound of the gong on the very day when it was about to make this illegal suspension, and then excused them from making deliveries; the same Board who very generously announced that my Stock Exchange contracts should have no Stock Exchange enforcement, but that I must be relegated to my chances either in the courts or by personal negotiation; the same Board upon which sat during all this time some ten or more members; themselves actually "short" or representing a "short" interest in Stutz, and the same Board of Governors who thereupon inspired, fostered and approved the banding together of some fifty-eight firms, whose Stock Exchange contracts I held, for the avowed purpose of repudiation. Having entirely failed in the most persistent efforts to cripple me and in their determined purpose to protect gamblers in the stock, and having been frustrated in their attempts at repudiation, despite an array of eminent legal talent, and having delayed for two months the sale of my seat despite the fact that not a dollar's obligation stood against it, these same forces have now prepared a fitting conclusion to the part they have played.

This situation suggests the chances of an Allied officer on trial before the German General Staff. That at least might be an open proceeding. There perhaps the accused would have the right of counsel. While the result might conceivably be forecast, the evidence would at least be exposed to public view. But the trial designed by the Stock Exchange would extend to me no such privileges. Here I am asked merely to become the willing victim to a vengeful sacrifice. In order to make the obsequies complete, they would like me to furnish the corpse.

My answer is, first, that the New York Stock Exchange has no jurisdiction over me because I am no longer a member, having duly resigned on April 13th last for reasons I then took pains to set forth; second, that I deny there is any basis of truth in the charges made against me; next, that if it be a violation of the Stock Exchange rules and regulations that one should render himself so obnoxious to the selfish clique in control that his expulsion is for them a matter devoutly to be wished, I make no denial of the imputation; and last, as each and every member of the Exchange who has made it his business to investigate the Stutz matter must know by this time, I defended myself single-handedly from the most vicious assault on me and my stockholders; I refused to be intimidated by any person or combination of persons; and not even the great Stock Exchange can blot out the fact that its proceedings have been a disgrace to its honorable traditions and its fine ideals.

No man appreciates more than I that the Stock Exchange is the keystone of the commercial structure of this country. No man has greater respect for its ideals and traditions. No man has a higher regard for those among its members who stand for justice and square dealing, no matter whom it hurts. But no man deplores more than I that this great institution, with its limitless powers for good, should have so fallen that these powers are employed for the evil designs of private ends and personal vengeance. It is a sad spectacle indeed that a body boasting the high functions of a court should be debased to such low ends.

When the so-called "charges" against me were served, why was the judgment not simultaneously announced? It had already been formulated, and by the same hands that made the charges. If any be deceived by the postponement of announcing this judgment, it must be only its authors. I have heard that the leopard may change his spots but I have never seen it done. Whitewashing the spots may temporarily conceal them, but will hardly be sufficient to obliterate them.

If the Board of Governors desire merely to prove that it claims the irresponsible power to expel me even after I have resigned, why need it go to all the trouble of a mock trial? If it desires to show that it is now antagonistic to me, and has been so all along, it has amply done so before framing these camouflage charges. If it desires to demonstrate that the same forces which failed to crush me and to destroy my stockholders are still hungry for blood, it needs no further proof. But if the Exchange thinks that by its secret and despotic manipulations it can purge itself in the eyes of the public from the taint of its mishandling of the Stutz matter, I am sufficiently American and optimistic to believe that the thinking public will not be humbugged, and that somewhere and somehow the true facts will be brought to light, so that the inquiry of this proceeding and the menace of this irresponsible power in high places will appear in real colors.

I purpose to hold the Board of Governors responsible, not only to the public, but to me personally and to the Stutz Company and its stockholders, for all damages suffered through this campaign of persecution, and also for any damage they may cause by this latest unconscionable proceeding which they have initiated.

If they feel a shred of responsibility to anyone but themselves, let them support their prepared judgment of expulsion as a court of justice sustains its judgments. Let them make specific finding of fact on the following questions:

1. Did I not appear repeatedly before their committees prior to March 31st, both at my suggestion and theirs?
2. Did I not give them information showing the crisis in the Stutz situation?

3. Did I not, on these appearances, repeatedly request them to take the matter in charge and deal with it equitably?

4. Did I not call their attention to the fact that there was persistent "short" selling, despite my endeavors to prevent it?

5. Did I not repeatedly request them to take measures to stop this "short" selling?

6. Did they themselves not request me to lend Stutz stock freely?

7. Did I not comply with their request and lend the stock up to the very last moment?

8. If on any of these frequent appearances I failed to satisfy their committees either as to my good faith or as to my entire frankness, why was I not then so informed and why were no disciplinary measures then taken against me?

9. Were there not members on the Board of Governors and the sub-committees who, either for themselves or their customers, were then and continued to be "short" of Stutz stock?

10. Did I not actually hold the unperformed "short" contracts of firms whose members sat on the Board and the committees?

11. Did not some of these very members sell Stutz stock up to the very last hour when trading was permitted?

12. Did not these same committee members actually participate in the official conferences with me at the very time that they represented a "short" interest?

13. Did not certain of these members continue to sell Stutz, having foreknowledge of the very action which they would recommend to the Board of Governors?

14. Did not these very members participate in the Governors' meeting when the suspension was declared?

15. Was not this suspension declared without constitutional authority?

16. Did not the Board of Governors subsequently endeavor to put through an amendment to the constitution granting such authority for the future?

17. Did not the Board of Governors declare that no deliveries need be made upon Stutz sales made on the last day of trading?

18. Did not the Board of Governors officially declare that there would be no Stock Exchange enforcement of my Stock Exchange contracts?

19. Do not the Exchange constitution and regulations entitle a member to official enforcement of his Exchange contracts?

20. Did they not officially declare that I should be relegated to my rights at law or private negotiation?

21. Since the Board of Governors have circulated a pamphlet on the "Stutz Controversy," why did they not arbitrate this "Controversy" when it was pending?

22. Cannot the Exchange compel arbitration between members even when one party thereto is unwilling?

23. Did not the Board of Governors officially declare that it would take no part in the "Controversy"?

24. Was not this action taken to avoid enforcing my contracts and to permit their repudiation?

25. Did not the action of the Board of Governors result in aiding and abetting the association of the Stutz "shorts" in their attempt to repudiate their contracts?

26. What single act, ruling or suggestion has there been on the part of the Board of Governors or any committee for my protection, or for the inviolability of these Stock Exchange obligations, or for my guidance?

27. What suggestion made by any Stock Exchange committee have I failed to follow out, regardless of my own personal interest?

28. Did I not request the Stock Exchange to use its machinery to settle the entire Stutz Controversy?

29. Did not the Stock Exchange officially direct me to pursue my legal rights and make such settlement as I might deem proper?

30. Did I not declare that I would stand upon my legal rights, whatever they might be?

31. Did I not yield to a settlement with the defaulting borrowers of stock only upon urgent request of their own committee?

32. Were not the "short" interests ably represented by eminent counsel at the time when they solicited and made a settlement with me out of court?

33. Is there a shred of evidence that I or my firm ever made a notorious transaction in Stutz stock?

34. Is there any evidence that a single transaction of mine in Stutz stock, while its market price was advancing, was not an absolutely bona fide transaction?

35. Did I by word or deed make any false representation as to the Stutz Company in order to induce a single member or his customer to sell a single share of Stutz stock?

36. Is there any evidence that I was not single-handedly protecting my stock against persistent "short" attacks?

37. Has it become a Stock Exchange crime for a man who is interested in a stock to protect it to the limit of his resources against persistent, vicious short attacks?

38. How could I, as large stockholder of the Stutz Company, have protected my interests from assault in any other manner than by buying on the floor of the Stock Exchange such of the stock as was there offered freely for sale?

39. Was there a single transaction in which I failed to make payment for the stock which I bought?

40. Was there, from beginning to end, a single instance of any repudiation or attempt at evasion on my part of my contracts?

41. Was there a price at which the Exchange would have approved and commended a settlement?

42. If so, why did they not state openly?

43. Did they not have ample opportunity to have stated this price before the settlement was made?

44. Did they ever state it or intimate it?

45. Is it possible, under the methods of the Stock Exchange, for an individual, single-handed, in the face of continued "short" selling, to manipulate a stock to fictitious high price in an open market?

46. Are not the net profits of the Stutz Company at the rate of over \$3,000,000 a year?

47. Is it not the proper practice to value stock not, as attempted in the charges, solely on the book value of its assets, but on its earning power and market value as well?

Each and every one of these findings is essential to any fair judgment on the charges. A truthful finding on these questions would not only exonerate me, but would put the blame where it belongs.

I have not heard of any charges being brought against a single one of the fifty-eight Stock Exchange firms who were "short" of Stutz stock when the Board of Governors benignly declared an illegal moratorium for their benefit. I blush at the implied compliment that I, single-handedly, could so entrap the unwary as to send aloft a single stock to ten times its alleged actual value. I dare say that even among my enemies some will be found to assert that I could not all alone have accomplished this gigantic achievement.

Surely that energetic committee, which had made sufficient investigation up to March 31st to order a suspension in trading, and has since piled its efforts with such unceasing diligence in order to reach a conclusion which would justify charges, must have found in its careful research some traces at least of co-operation on the part of these fifty-eight "short" houses. But if this had been the case, they have carefully omitted to state it in any document which I have seen. They have been impartial enough to circulate a monograph styled a "presentation" which could hardly be called an exposition of my side of the matter. But there, too, there is, strangely, an absence of reference to any co-operation on the part of the "short" members at some stage of the Stutz matter.

Indeed, far from being condemned or even criticized for their part in this assault upon my stock and upon me, these gentlemen who sold "short" are lifted to the inner circle of judges, with the supreme confidence that when I appear before them in person their resentments, their losses and the disgrace of their futile attempts at repudiation, all will be laid aside, and then at last, in the purity of their judicial prerogative, they will mete out to me fair and impartial justice.

Here is my answer to all of this: I want none of that style of justice; I have made this fight for a principle and intend to go through with it; when I resigned from the Stock Exchange I did so deliberately and for sufficient reasons then stated, and I adhere to my resignation and refuse to recede from it, even though the Board of Governors were to offer me in advance the testimonial of the whitewash which has been so carefully prepared for my adversaries.

I shall fight the persistent efforts to depreciate the Stutz Company which have been translated by the Board of Governors even into their charges against me personally. Fortunately the business and standing of that Company do not need the favor of the Exchange, but rest securely upon the good will of the American People. Fortunately the public is not a stranger to what has gone on since March last. And fortunately for me — yes, and even for the Exchange itself — there is no longer a place in American institutions for a survival of the despotism and irresponsibility of czarism.

Gentlemen of the Board of Governors, you may lay aside your pretenses. You need not wait until the 23rd of June. You may tell the public now of the proscription which you have written for me, which awaits only my appearance for formal signature and summary execution. While I am not girted with clairvoyance, I believe that I can read with accuracy a finding of "Guilty" to any charge that you, in your great solicitude for justice, may have prepared for me. If you will come out in the open and give me a public trial with the benefit of my own counsel, as you have yours, I will gladly appear before you even though your judges be every one of them short of Stutz, because I will present such a case that not even a partisan and interested judge would dare find against me. But your invitation to appear in a star chamber and to join with you in placing a laurel wreath upon the past and present conduct of your committees and to furnish myself as the sacrificial lamb is respectfully declined.

Signed,

ALLAN A. RYAN.